

Alaska Local and Regional Information

Workforce Info

Huslia

Huslia is a second class city located on the north bank of the Koyukuk River, about 170 river miles northwest of Galena and 290 air miles west of Fairbanks. It lies within the Koyukuk National Wildlife Refuge. Huslia is part of the Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area.

- ♦ The estimated population for 2008 was 277, a loss of about 16 since the 2000 Census.
- ♦ About 56 percent of the resident population 16+ years old worked in 2008.
- ♦ Local Government was the main industry in 2008, employing 54 percent of the area's workers.
- ♦ More workers were employed as Construction Laborers than any other occupation.

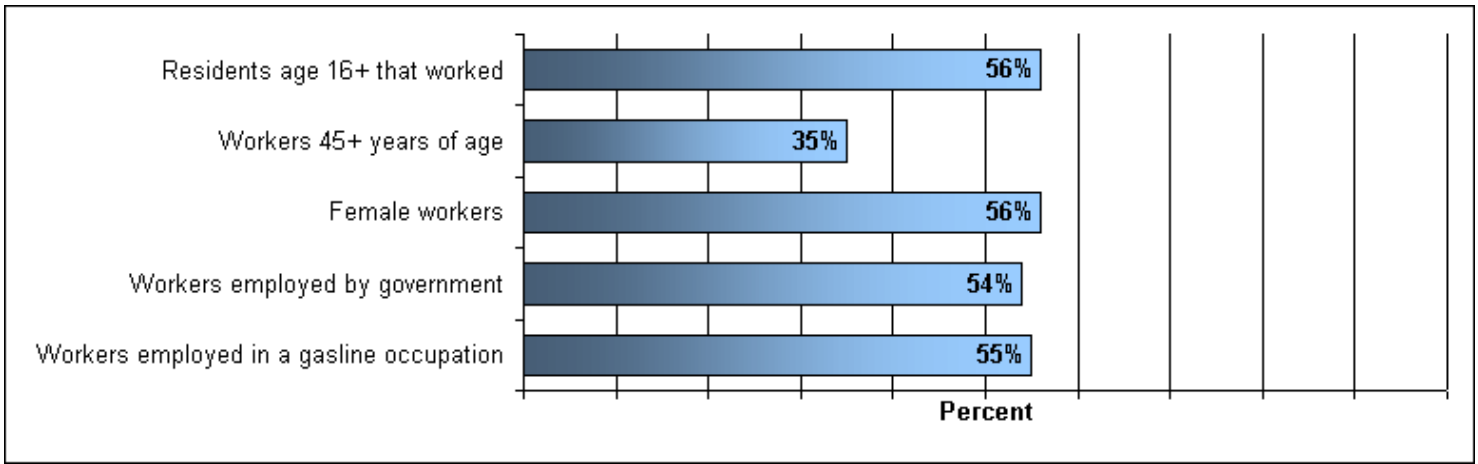
Please note: There is an important distinction between the local/regional employment data and our "standard" employment series. Most of these data reflect totals for area residents only. Total worker counts may be lower than expected in areas with a large number of nonresident workers. The Alaska Permanent Fund dividend file is used to determine the worker's geographic residence. Only Alaska residents (as defined by PFD application) are included in these totals. Also note that federal employees, the military, and the self-employed are not included in these data.

Huslia Resident Snapshot (2008)

Working Age Residents		Wages	
Residents age 16+	188	Total wages	\$1,720,250
Resident Worker Characteristics		Resident Workers by Sector	
Total	106	Private	49
Male	47	State government	0
Female	59	Local government	57
Age 45+	37	Quarterly Number of Resident Workers	
Age 50+	28	Peak (2nd) quarter workers	86
		Percent working all 4 quarters	39.6%
Unemployment		Construction/AGIA Occupation Experience (2004-2008)	
UI Claimants	42	Some construction	53
		At least 1 year construction	25
New Hires		At least 2 years construction	10
New hires	52	Worked in an AGIA occupation	115

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2008 Residents

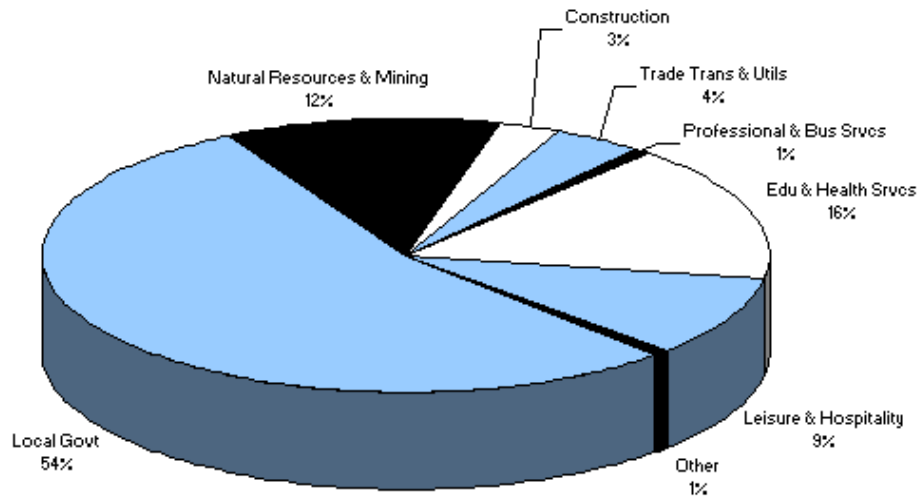


Top Occupations

	Number employed	Percent female	Age 45+	Age 50+
Construction Laborers AGIA HOT JOB	14	7.1%	5	1
Office and Administrative Support Workers, All Other AGIA	9	77.8%	2	2
Maintenance and Repair Workers, General AGIA	6	16.7%	1	1
Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners AGIA	5	100.0%	0	0
Healthcare Practitioners and Technical Workers, All Other	5	100.0%	2	2
Janitors and Cleaners, Except Maids and Housekeeping Cleaners AGIA	5	60.0%	1	0
Teacher Assistants	5	100.0%	2	2
Managers, All Other AGIA	5	60.0%	2	2

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Resident Workers by Industry



Workers by Industry

	Number employed	Percent female	Age 45+	Age 50+
Natural Resources and Mining	13	23.1%	3	1
Construction	*	*	*	*
Manufacturing	0	0.0%	0	0
Trade, Transportation and Utilities	*	*	*	*
Information	0	0.0%	0	0
Financial Activities	0	0.0%	0	0
Professional and Business Services	*	*	*	*
Educational and Health Services	17	82.4%	8	7
Leisure and Hospitality	10	70.0%	0	0
State Government	0	0.0%	0	0
Local Government	57	57.9%	21	17
Other	*	*	*	*
Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0

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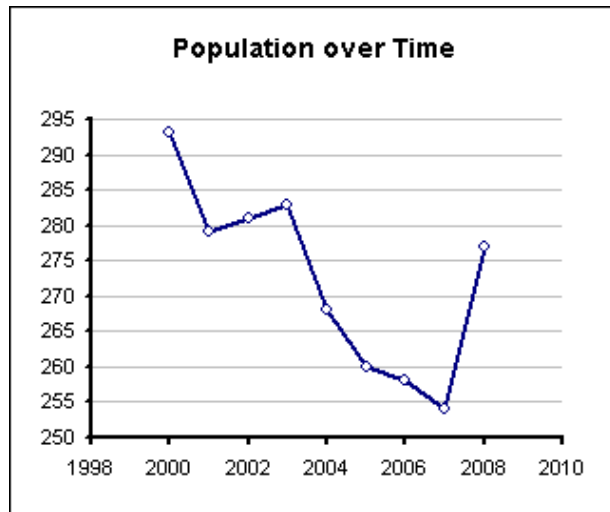
Recent Unemployment Statistics

	09/2009	10/2009	11/2009	12/2009
UI Claimants**	18	21	24	25

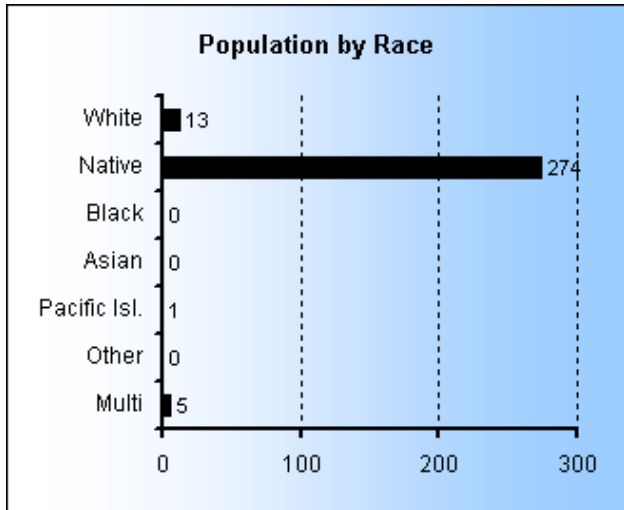
**UI claimants are individuals in this area who had an active claim at any time during the month.

Top Employers (ranked by number of workers)

Yukon Koyukuk School Dist
Tanana Chiefs Conference
Huslia Tribal Council
Taiga Mining Company Inc
Doyon/universal Services J/V
Huslia Sanitation Con Acct
Huslia Water Development
Huslia City Council
Brice Inc
Doyon Drilling Inc
Statewide Services Inc
Ralph A Harman Family Limited Trust



2000 Census	
Median Age	24.4
Average Family Size	3.8
Average Household Size	3.3
Per Capita Income	\$10,983
Median Family Income	\$31,000
Median Household Income	\$27,000



(Note: Racial classification is based on self identification. The "Multi" category consists of those who claim to be members of more than one race. The "Native" category includes Alaska Natives and American Indians.)

Source: Alaska Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Research and Analysis Section
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